

Amendments to the Specification:

On page 1, on the first line below the title, replace the subheading “Technical Field” with the subheading --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.

On page 1, after the first paragraph, delete the subheading “Background Art”.

On page 5, line 2, replace the subheading “Disclosure of the Invention” with the subheading --SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.

On page 7, line 13, delete the subheading “[Effect of the Invention]”.

On page 8, line 5, replace the subheading “Best Mode for Carrying Out the Invention” with the subheading --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--.

On page 21, line 1, delete the subheading “INDUSTRIAL APPLICABILITY”.